

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Establishment - PR&RD Department - MPDOs., - Sri V.Prasad, Mandal Parishad Development Officer, Mandal Praja Parishad, G.Madugula, Visakhapatnam District now retired - Committed certain irregularities in forwarding pension papers - Charges framed - Enquiry conducted - Charges proved - Show cause notice issued - Explanations received - Imposing a penalty of 5% cut in pension for a period one (1) year under Rule 9 of AP Revised Pension Rules, 1980 - Orders - Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (E.VII) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1328

Dated. 17th August, 2013.
Read the following:

1. From the CPR&RE., Lr.No.11469/CPR&RE/A3/2009, Dt.13.07.2011.
2. G.O.Ms.No.355, PR&RD(E.VII) Dept., Dated. 3.11.2011.
3. Charge Memo.11469/CPR&RE/A3/2009, dated. 9.12.2011 of the Commissioner, PR&RE., Hyderabad.
4. Written Statement of Defense dt.13.02.2012 of the Charged Officer.
5. Procs.No.11469/APR&RE/A3/2009, dated 20.03.2012 of the Commissioner, PR&RE, Hyderabad.
6. Procs.No.11469/APR&RE/A3/2009, dated 11.05.2012 of the Commissioner, PR&RE., Hyderabad.
7. The CEO & EO, ZPP., Visakhapatnam, Lr.Rc.No. 1680/2010P3, dated 21.07.2009
8. Memo.11469/CPR&RE/A3/2009, dated. 21.08.2012 of the Commissioner, PR&RE., Hyderabad.
9. Representation dated 01.09.2012 of the Charged Officer.
10. From the CPR&RE, Hyd.lr.No.11469/CPR&RE/A3/09,Dt.06.12.2012.
11. Govt.Memo.No.17619/E.VII/A1/09-1, Dated.18.03.2013.
12. Explanation Dt. 15.04.2013 of Sri V. Prasad, MPDO (Retd.).
13. Govt.Lr.No.17619/E.VII/A1/09-2, Dt.06.07.2013.
14. From the Secy. APPSC, Hyd.Lr.No.1610/RT/3/2013,Dt.27.07.2013

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ORDER:-

In the reference 3rd read above, disciplinary proceedings were initiated against Sri V. Prasad, Mandal Parishad Development Officer, Mandal Praja Parishad, G.Madugula, Visakhapatnam District (now retired) by framing following article of charges under Rule 9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980 read with Rule 20 of A.P.Civil Services (Classification Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 on the allegation of irregularities committed in forwarding pension papers of a retired superintendent and he has submitted his Written Statement of Defense (WSD) denying the charges framed against him vide reference 4th cited.

Charge No.1 Sri V.Prasad, Mandal Parishad Development Officer (Retd)., while working as MPDO., MPP., G.Madugulu has failed to verify the genuinenity of the descriptive rolls with that of the Service Register of Sri B. Samba Siva Rao, Superintendent (Retd) of MPP., G.Madugula at the time of signing of pension proposals of the said retired Superintendent.

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Charge No.2 Sri V.Prasad, Mandal Parishad Development Officer (Retd)., while working as MPDO., MPP., G.Madugulu has failed to verify the correctness of the pension papers submitted by Sri B.Samba Siva Rao, Superintendent, Retd., MPP., G.Madugula, before signing and forwarded to the concerned authority due to which the wife of the retired Superintendent was deprived of getting the maintenance charges conferred already by judicial doctrine.

Charge No.3 Sri V.Prasad, Mandal Parishad Development Officer (Retd)., while working as MPDO., MPP., G.Madugulu has tried to escape of his responsibility conferred on him as Head Office by representing faulty presumption without verifying the connected correspondence made regarding the maintenance charges recovered from the anticipatory pension of Sri B.Sambasiva Rao, (Retd Superintendent) and paid to Smt B.kanthamma w/o Retired Superintendent by way of Demand draft bearing No.061430 Dt.06.04.2004 for Rs.3300/- for the period from May 2003 to March 2004 i.e., for 11 months.

2. In the reference 5th read above, after considering the written statement of defence of the Charged Officer, the Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Praja Parishad, Visakhapatnam was appointed as Enquiry Officer to enquire into the chares framed against the Charged Officer Sri V. Prasad, MPDO., MPP., G.Madugula, Visakhapatnam District (now retired) and the Accounts Officer, Zilla Praja Parishad, Visakhapatnam was appointed as Presenting Officer to present the case before the Enquiry Officer on behalf the disciplinary authority vide reference 6th read above.

3. In the reference 7th read above, the Chief Executive Officer & Enquiry Officer, Zilla Praja Parishad, Visakhapatnam has after conducting regular enquiry has submitted his report holding that all the three (3) charges are held proved in the enquiry against Sri V. Prasad, MPDO., MPP., G.Madugula, Visakhapatnam District (now retired).

4. In the reference 8th read above, a copy of the enquiry report was communicated to the Charge Officer for calling his representation if any on the enquiry officer report as required under Rule 21(2) of A.P.Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 and he has submitted his representation on the findings of the Enquiry Officer vide reference 9th read above.

5. In the reference 10th read above, the Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Employment, Hyderabad while furnishing original record in respect of the Charged Officer Sri V. Prasad, MPDO., MPP., G.Madugula, Visakhapatnam District (now retired) has requested the Government to finalize the disciplinary proceedings against the Charge Officer.

6. Government after examining the matter, keeping in view the enquiry report and representation of the charge officer have provisionally decided to impose a penalty of 5% (five percent) cut in pension for a period of one (1) year on the Charged Officer Sri V. Prasad, MPDO., MPP., G.Madugula, Visakhapatnam District (now retired) under Rule 9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

7. In the reference 11th read above, a show cause notice was issued to the Charge Officer, as to why a penalty of 5% cut in pension for a period of one (1) year should not be imposed on him and he has submitted his explanation requested to drop the said penalty vide reference 12th read above and Government have examined the same and confirmed the earlier decision i.e imposing a penalty of 5% cut in pension for a period of one year

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8. In the reference 13th read above, the Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, Hyderabad was addressed for its concurrence to the above decision of the Government and the A.P. Public Service Commission has agreed with the proposal of the Government, to impose a penalty of 5% cut in pension for a period of one year against Sri V. Prasad, MPDO., MPP., G.Madugula, Visakhapatnam District (now retired) vide reference 14th read above.

9. The Government after careful examining the matter having the circumstance of the case, hereby impose a penalty of 5% (Five percent) cut in pension for a period of one (1) year on the Charged Officer Sri V. Prasad, MPDO., MPP., G.Madugula, Visakhapatnam District (now retired), under Rule 9 of A.P.Revised Pension Rules, 1980 as the charges are held proved in the enquiry.

10. The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Employment, Hyderabad, shall take further necessary action in the matter.

11. The original file bearing No.11469/CPR&RE/A3/2009 of the Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Employment, Hyderabad containing C.F.316 pages & NF.20 pages received through reference 10th cited is retuned herewith. The same shall be acknowledged.

[BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH]

V.NAGI REDDY
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (PR)

To

The individual through the Commissioner, PR&RE, Hyderabad.

The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Employment, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Praja Parishad, Visakhapatnam District.

The Accountant General, AP-Hyderabad.

The Secretary, A.P.Public Service Commission, Hyderabad.

The P.S. to the Hon'ble Minister (PR&RD).

The P.S to Principal Secretary to Government.

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SECTION OFFICER